Novr. Term 1787

Archelaus Reynolds

Littleton Isbel

John Allen

Recognizance for Archelaus Reynolds to keep the Peace

STATE SOUTH-CAROLINA, } ss.
Camden ~~CHARLESTON~~-DISTRICT.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the thirtieth Day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven personally appeared before me Richard Champion Esq; one of the Justices assigned to keep the Peace for ~~this District~~, Lancaster County Archelaus Reynolds Littleton Isbel and John Allen

who acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of South-Carolina, that is to say, the said Archelaus Reynolds

in the Sum of Forty Pounds

sterling Money; and the said Littleton Isbel and John Allen jointly and separately in the Sum of Twenty Pounds

like Money, to be levied of their several Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels respectively, to and for the Use of the said State, if the above-mentioned Archelaus Reynolds shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten.

THE CONDITION of this Recognizance is such, That if the above-bound Archelaus Reynolds ~~shall personally appear before the Justices of the said State, at the next Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol Delivery, to be holden at the usual Place of Judicature in on the Tuesday in next, then and there to~~

~~and to do and receive what shall be enjoined by the Court, and not to depart the Court without Licence~~; and in the ~~mean Time the said~~ do keep the Peace of the said State, and be of good Behaviour towards all the Citizens thereof, and especially toward William Boyd then this Recognizance to be void, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Taken and acknowledged the Day and Year above written, before me

Richd Champion J.P.

Archelaus Reynolds

L. Isbell

his
Jno J Allen
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The State
vs
James Bates &
John Bates

Recognize to keep the peace & for their appearance

Apl. Term 1792

STATE SOUTH-CAROLINA, } ss.
CHARLESTON-DISTRICT.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the twentieth Day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ~~eighty~~ ninety-two personally appeared before me Richard Lloyd Champion Esq; ~~one of the Justices assigned to keep the Peace for this District,~~ Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas James Bates John Bates Richard Blanks Benjamin O'Neil who acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of South-Carolina, that is to say, the said James Bates & John Bates in the Sum of Fifty Pounds each sterling Money; and the said Richard Blanks and Benjamin O'Neil in the Sum of Twenty five pounds each like Money, to be levied of their several Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels respectively, to and for the Use of the said State, if the above-mentioned James Bates & John Bates shall fail in performing the Condition under-written.

THE CONDITION of this Recognizance is such, That if the above-bound James Bates & John Bates shall personally appear before the Justices of the said State, at the next Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol Delivery, to be holden at the usual Place of Judicature in Camden on the 19 ~~Tues~~day in April next, then and there to appear and answer for an assault committed on the body of John Goings and William Goings by the said James Bates and John Bates and to do and receive what shall be enjoined by the Court, and not to depart the Court without Licence; and in the mean Time the said James Bates & John Bates do keep the Peace of the said State, and be of good Behaviour towards all the Citizens thereof, and especially toward the said John Goings & Wm Goings then this Recognizance to be void, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Taken and acknowledged the Day and Year above written, before me

Richard Ll. Champion

James Bates (L.S.)

John Bates (L.S.)

Richard his + mark Blanks (L.S.)

Benj O'Neal (L.S.)

April 86
Robert Bates's
Recognizance

South Carolina }
Camden District } ss.

Be it remembered that on the 29th day of April in the Year of Our Lord One thousand and Seven hundred and Eighty Six Personally appeared before me Aedanus Burke Esqr. One of the Justices of the Court of General Sessions of the peace Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery Robert Bates, John McCoy Kenneth McCullem and James Bates Who acknowledged themselves to be Indebted severally & respectively to the State of South Carolina aforsaid, that is to say Robert Bates in the Sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling money and John McCoy Kenneth McCullem and James Bates, each in the Sum of Twenty five pounds like Money to be levied of their several Lands & Tenements Goods & Chattels respectively to and for the use of the said State if the above Robert Bates shall fail in performing the Condition under Written —

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound Robert Bates shall and do Appear at the Next Court of General Sessions of the peace Oyer & Terminer Assize & General Goal to be held at the usual place of Judicature in Camden on the twenty sixth day of November next ensuing and then and there do and receive what shall be enjoined by the Court and not depart the Court without Licence, ~~and in the mean time the said Robert Bates to keep the peace of the said State and be of Good behaviour towards all the Citizens thereof.~~ then this recognizance to be void, or else to remain in full force.

Robt. Bates

Taken & acknoledged the day & year above Written — Before me

J. Brevard
A. Clerk Court

John McCoy
Kenth McCallum
James Bates

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CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions — The STATE vs. Boland, Richard

Peace Bonds — The State vs. Blanchard, Abraham

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

To Nov 1799. Breach of peace

The State } Defend^{ts}
v. } Recog^{ce}
Abm Blanchard

Recog continued

Abm Blanchard
& al^{s} Recog^{ce}
Keep Peace —
To Nov. 1799 —

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

South Carolina } By Isaac Alexander a Justice of Quo-
Camden District } =rum for said State—

To any Lawfull Constable—

Whereas Thomas English hath this day made Oath bef-
=ore me that he is afraid that Absalom Blanchard of
the County of Kershaw, will beat wound, maim or kill
him—and therefore hath prayed Surety of the Peace
against him— These are therefore to command you
to cause the said Absalom Blanchard to come before
me, or some other Justice of the Peace for Kershaw
County to find Security that he will keep the Peace
towards all the good Citizens of said State but espec-
=ially toward Thomas English aforesaid—as also for
his Personal Appearance at the next Court of General Sessions
of the Peace, Oyer & terminer, Assize and general Goal
delivery to be holden at Camden on the 19th Day
of November next for the District of Camden—then
and there to abide and do what shall be enjoined
by said Court—

Given under my Hand & Seal
this 13th Day of July 1799—

I. Alexander J.Q. (Seal)

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The State vs. Blanchard, Abraham

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

Be it remembered that on the 13th of July 1799 –
Absalom Blanchard, Stephen Boykin & William Sowden
came before me a Justice of Quorum for said State and
acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of South
Carolina that is to say the said Absalom Blanchard
in the sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling – and the said Stephen
Boykin & William Sowden in the sum of Twenty five Pounds
each like Money – to be made and levied of their
Goods and Chattells, Lands & Tenements Respectively
to and for the use of said State if the said Absalom
Blanchard shall make default in the underwritten
Condition –

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that
if the above bound Absalom Blanchard do personally
appear before the Justices of said State at the next
Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer & terminer,
Assize and General Gaol delivery to be holden at
Camden for the District of Camden, on the 19th day of
November next – and shall do what shall be en-
-joined by said Court – and shall in mean
time keep the Peace towards all the good Citizens
of said State, but especially towards Thomas English
then this Recognizance to be void, or else in
full force and virtue –

A Blanchard (L.S.)

Stephen Boykin (L.S.)

W Sowden (L.S.)

Taken and acknowledged
the day & date as above
before me

J. Alexander J.Q.

The State vs. Blanchard, Abraham

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Nov. 96 Rich Bolans
Recognizance for the peace
or good behaviour

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

South Carolina K[ershaw] County } Be it Remembered that
Camden District } on the 5 day of August
in the year of our lord 1796 —
Richard Boland of the County aforsaid and James Rutherford and Swanson Lunsford came before me Harris Turner one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace with in the said County, and acknowledged themselves to owe the state of south Carolina (to wit) the said Richard Boland Three Hundred dollars and James Rutherford and Swanson Lunsford one Hundred and fifty dollars each to be respectively made and levied of their several goods and Chattals lands and tenements to the use of the state if the said Richard Boland shall fail in ~~the Condition~~ performing the Condition under writen — — — —

The Condition of this recognizance is such that if the above bounden Richard Boland personally appear at the next general sessions of the peace to be holden at Camden on the 19th day of November next to do and Receive what shall be then and there injoind him by the Court then the said recognizance shall be void or else remain in full force acknowleded before me

Harris Turner J. P. — R. Bolan
James Rutherford
S. Lunsford

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The State vs. Boland, Richa[rd]

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. Bowman, James & Robert

Personally served April
the 24. 1787
By me Js. J. Fleming D.S.

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Camden District
April Ass. 87

The State
~
Jas: Bowman
&
Robt. Bowman
} Bench Warrt.

April Assizes 1787

April 29th 1787
I do hereby certify to the Justices within mentioned that I have by my lawful deputy Bailey Fleming served the within Defendants personally with the within warrant as I am commanded. H. Hunter Shff.

That he ~~suspects~~ from good information hath cause to suspect and doth suspect & verily be[illegible]
Hers &c
before ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible] or some
~~[illegible]~~ justices of the peace to be ~~[illegible]~~ & answer the same & to be further dealt with according to Law Herein fail not &c
Given &c
~~[illegible] felony [illegible]~~
being brought before justice of peace say and after apprehend to commit
Commit to the Common Gaol &c.

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South Carolina — By the Honorable Adanus Burke Esquire one of the Judges of the State aforesaid —

To the Sheriff of ~~[illegible]~~ Camden District, and to all and singular the other Sheriffs Constables Bailiffs & other Peace Officers of this State = Greeting —

Adanus Burke

Whereas it appears from the Information of Henry Laurens the Younger made on Oath before me this day; that about the Month of October last a Barn at his plantation on Mount Tacitus in upper Santee with a Quantity of Provisions was burnt and that he suspects from good Information & verily believes that James Bowman and Robert Bowman did set fire and Wilfully Burn the same —

These are therefore to Charge and Command you and each and every of you the said Sheriffs, Constables, Bailiffs, & other Peace Officers of said State, to make diligent search for the said [illegible] them, so found upon said search, forthwith to apprehend and bring before me, ~~[illegible]~~ or some other Judge of this State at the next Court of General Sessions, to be holden at ^ ~~[illegible]~~ Camden for that District, on the ~~fifteenth~~ twenty Sixth of April ensuing to be examined touching the Premises and thereupon to be dealt with, and disposed of according to Law — Herein fail not on pain of the Penalties that may fall thereon —

Given under my Hand and Seal at Charleston this twenty seventh day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand seven Hundred and Eighty Seven and in the Eleventh year of our Independence and Sovereignty —

^ The above alteration made by Thomas Hall Clerk of the General Sessions &c

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To Nov. 1799. Arson

The State v. Joel Davis } Defendants Recog.^n

An attempt to burn the house of Wm. Bain.

Nolle prosequi

State vs

Joel Davis &c

Hour Cummings –

Nov. Term 1799 –

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

South Carolina Camden District Ss.

Be it remembered that on the 27th Day of April in the year of our Lord 1799. Joel Davis, Jesse Scurry and Archibald Burbidge personally came before me one of the Justices for said State and acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of South Carolina that is to pay the said Joel Davis the Sum of Forty Pounds and the said Jesse Scurry and Archibald Burbidge the Sum of Twenty Pounds each separately good and lawfull Money of the said State to be made and levied of their Goods and Chattels, Lands & Tenements respectively to and for the use of the said State If the above bound Joel Davis shall make Default in the Condition underwritten —

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound Joel Davis shall personally be and appear at the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol delivery to be holden at Camden for the District of Camden on the nineteenth Day of November next to answer certain Matters and things laid to his Charge relative to an Attempt to burn the House of William Cain — and shall do and suffer what shall be enjoined by the Court, and shall not depart the Court without Licence — and shall in mean time be of good Behaviour towards all the good Citizens of said State — then this Recognizance to be void, or else of full force and virtue —

Taken and acknowledged the day and date as above before me

J. Alexander J. Q.

Joel Davis (Seal)

Jesse his X mark Scurry (Seal)

Archibald Burbidge (Seal)

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The State vs. Davis, Joel

Novr. Session 87

The State
v.
Wm. Crofsit } Recogze. to keep the Peace

4. June 1787.

South Carolina
Camden District } Be it remmembered that on the fourth day of June --- in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven Personally appeared William Crofsit, John Griffin and Frizzel McTyre. -- who acknowledged themselves to be severally indebted to The State of South Carolina in the following manner that is to say; The said William Crofsit in the sum of One hundred pounds lawful money of the state aforsaid, the said John Griffin --- in the Sum of Fifty Pounds like money, and the said Frizzel McTyre --- in the sum of fifty pounds like money; to be levied of their several Lands and Tenements Goods and Chattels respectively to and for the use of the said State, if the above named William Crofsit shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound William Crofsit shall ~~personally bound appear~~ be of good behavour and keep the Peace of the said State for and during the space of Twelve months from the date hereof: Then this Obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & Virtue.

Taken and Acknowledged before me -

John Kershaw.

J. P.

William Crosthwait (L.S.)

John Griffin (L.S.)

Frizzell McTyeire (L.S.)

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State of South Carolina
Fairfield County }

Be it Remembered that on the 5th day of February Anno Domini 1787, William Crosthwait and John Griffin of Newbury County planters and William Nelson of Fairfield County aforesaid planter came before me John Pearson one of the Justices of the Peace for the said County and severally acknowledged themselves to owe to our said State that is to say the said William Crosthwait Fifty pounds Sterling lawful money of the State aforesaid and the said John Griffin and William Nelson Twenty five pounds like money each to be respectively levied of their Goods & Chattels Lands and Tenements to the use of the said State if the said William Crosthwait shall make default in the perform=ance of the Condition underwritten.

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound William Crosthwait shall personally be & appear before our State Justices at the next Court of Genl. Sessions of the Peace Oyer and Terminer Assize & General Goal delivery to be holden at Camden then and there to answer to our said State for and concerning a certain Breach of the Peace and other Misdemeanours whereof he the said William Crosthwait stands Charged upon the Information of Daniel Dansby, and to do & receive what shall by the Court be then & there Enjoined him & shall not depart the Court without licence; and in the mean time shall keep the Peace and be of the Good behaviour towards our said State and the good Citizens thereof Especially towards the said Daniel Dansby. then the above Recog=nizance to be void otherwise to remain in full force for the State.

Taken and acknowledged the day and year above Written before me

Jno. Pearson J.P.

William Crosthwait

John Griffin

Wm. Nelson

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April Term 1789

The State v Wm Coffee } Recognizance to appear

William Crathorns
Recognizance
5th Febry 1787

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The St[illegible] [illegible]illet, Ja[illegible]

To November 1799

Warant } Surety
vs } of
Jas. Dillet } Peace

Personally arrested the de-
-fendant James Dillet
agreeable to the within
process. October 28. 1799

Sterling C. Williamson
D. S. Cam. Dist.

Service $1.50
Mil. Fer. 2..32
$3..82

Rule to estreat Recog.
Deft. did not appear first
call.

South Carolina }
Richland County } Be it remembered that on the twenty eighth Day of October, in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, James Dillet, Martyn Alken and Richard Bolan came before me Simon Taylor, one of the Justices of Peace for the County aforesaid and acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of South-Carolina, towit, the said James Dillet the Sum of Four hundred Dollars, the said Martyn Alken & Richard Bolan the sum of Two hundred Dollars each, to be respectively made and levied of their several Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements to the Use of the said State, if the said James Dillet shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten—

The Condition of this Recognizance is such, is such that if the above bounden James Dillet, shall personally appear at the next General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer & Terminer, Assize & General Goal Delivery to be holden at Camden on the Nineteenth Day of November next, to do and receive what shall then and there enjoined by the Court and in the mean time shall keep the Peace towards all the good People of this State and especially towards the Revd David E. Dunlap, then the said Recognizance shall be void, or else remain in full force and Virtue

Acknowledged before me
Sim. Taylor J.P.

James Dillet
Martyn J Alken
R. Bolan

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November Session 1787

The State

v.

Francis Ederington

Recog.[ze] to keep the Peace

2 June 1787.

THE STATE VS EDERINGTO

We Francis Edrington, Elijah Major & Friziell McTyre acknowledge ourselves indebted to the State of South Carolina the said Francis Edrington in the sum of one Hundred Pounds and the said Elijah Major & Friziell McTyre in the sum of fifty pounds each to be levied of our Goods and chattles, Lands & Tenements – But to be void on Condition that the said Francis Edrington shall keep the peace of said State and be of Good behavior for the full term of twelve months from the date hereof, otherwise to be of full force & virtue –

Signed with our Hands & Sealed with our Seals this second day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred & eighty seven & Eleventh year of American Independence

Acknowledged before me

John Kershaw
J. S.

Francis Edrington

Elijah Major

Frizzell McTyire

Camden District
Court of General Sessions

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CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. Ford, Robert ?

The State
v.
Robt Ford
} Warrant

State – vs
Robert Ford

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

South Carolina } By Isaac Alexander a Justice
Kershaw County } of Quorum for State aforesaid

To any lawfull Constable for said County—

Forasmuch as Josiah Canty, of the County aforesaid hath personally come before me, and duly made Oath, that he is afraid Robert Ford also of said County will beat, wound, maim or do some bodily hurt to him — and hath therefore prayed Surety of the Peace against him the said Robert Ford—

These are therefore to command you that immediately on the Receipt hereof, you bring the said Robert Ford before me, or some other Justice for said County, to find Surety as well for his Appearance at the General Sessions of the Peace now holding at Camden — as also for his keeping the Peace, and being of good Behaviour towards all the good People of this State, and especially towards the said Josiah Canty in the mean time—

Given under my Hand that
at Camden 20th April 1799.

I. Alexander J.Q.—

The State vs. Ford, Robert ?

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Cam. Dist.

Nov. 96

The State v. Benj. Fuller } Recognizd. to keep the peace

To Novr. Sessions 1796

Also for his Appearance

South Carolina }
Camden District } Be it Remembered

that on the Eleventh Day of May — in the Year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Ninety six — personally appeard before me Richd. L. Champion Esquire one of the Justices assignd to keep the Peace for the County of Kershaw Benjamin Fuller and John Bradley
Who acknowledgd themselves indebted to the State of South Carolina, that is to say the said Benjamin Fuller in the sum of Fifty pounds — Sterling Money and the Said John Bradley ——— in the sum of Twenty five pounds like money to be levied of the several Lands and Testaments Goods and Chattles respectively to and for the use of the Said state if the above mentiond Benjn. Fuller — Shall fail in performing The Condition under written.
The Condition of this recognisance is such that if the above bound Benjamin Fuller ——— Shall personally appear before the Justices of the said state at the next Court of general sessions of ~~the~~ the peace oyer and Terminer. Assize and general Gaol Delivery to be holden at the usual place of Judicature in Camden on the nineteenth Day of November next then and there ~~to~~

~~and~~ to do and recieve what shall be enjoind by the Court and not to depart the Court without Licence and in the mean time the Said Benj. Fuller do keep the ~~Peace~~ of the said state and be of Good behavior towards all the Citizens thereof and especially toward Wm. R. L. Stukes and Naboth Cantey Then this Recognisance to be void or else to remain in full force and Virtue —
Taken and acknowledgd the Day and Year above written before me

R. L. Champion — Benjn. his + mark Fuller L. S.
M. K. C. — John Bradley L. S.

John Bradley having before signing the above been sworn & declared that he was worth more than the sum for which he was bound after paying his just Debts — R. L. C.

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To the Attorney General

Richard Garner was bound over to Court to be prosecuted for Assaulting me But we have since settled the Matter I would therefore have you drop the Prosecution upon his paying you the Costs —

April 28th 1791

her
Elisabeth + Lilley
mark

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November Sessions 1790

The State vs Richd. Gardner } Recognizance to keep the peace

Settled

PD.

South Carolina } Be it remembered, that on the
Claremont County :: } first day of November in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and
ninety, and of American Independence the fifteenth,
Richard Gardner, & Samuel Payne, both of said County
Planters, came personally before me and acknowledg'd
themselves to owe to the State of South Carolina, the sum
of twenty five pounds each, Sterling money, to be made
and levied of their several goods & chattels, lands
and tenements, to the use of said State, if they shall
fail in the condition underwritten.——

The condition of this Recognizance is such, that if the
above bounden Richard Gardner and Samuel Payne,
shall cause Delphi Gardner, to be and appear before
the Honbl. Judges of the Court of General Sessions, of sai-
d, to be holden at Camden on the twenty sixth day of
April next ensuing, to do and receive what shall be ~~to answer to such things as shall~~
enjoined her by the court ~~be objected against her the said Delphi Gardner~~, and
that she shall in the mean time keep the peace towards all the good people
of this State, and especially towards Elizabeth Lilly;
then this Recognizance to be void, otherwise to be of full
force and virtue in Law—

Taken and acknowleged
before me this 1st. Nov.
1790— }
D. Reese, J.P.

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South Carolina } Be it remembered, that on the
Claremont County } first day of November, in the
year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred
and ninety, and of American independence the
fifteenth, Richard Gardner, Samuel Payne, and
Jonathan Bunkley, all of said County planters,
came personally before me and acknowledged them
selves to owe unto the State of South Carolina, the s^d
Richard Gardner, ~~in~~ the sum of fifty pounds, the said
Samuel Payne, and Jonathan Bunkley, the sum of twen
five pounds each to be made and levied of their seve
ral goods and chattels, lands, and tenements, to the
use of said State, if they fail in the condition under-
written —— The condition of this recognizance is
such, that if the above bounden Richard Gardner, shall
personally appear before the Honble the Judges of the Court
of general Sessions, Assize &c, ~~and shall answer to~~ to be
holden at Camden on the twenty sixth day of ~~November~~ April
next ensuing, and shall then, and there, do and receive ~~answer to such~~
~~things as shall be objected against him the said Richard~~
~~Gardner~~ which shall be enjoined him by the Court, and in the mean time shall keep the peace to-
wards all the good people of this State, and especially
towards Elizabeth Lilly, then this Recognizance to
be void, otherwise to be of force in Law ——

Taken and acknowledged
before me this 1st Nov^r
1790 }

D. Reese, J.P.

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CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. Hickey, James

Nov. 26
Warrant for
the peace
agt. James Hickey
ad.
Rich. Bolan

Richard Bolan
vs.
Jas. Hickey
} Warrant for the peace

S. Carolina R. County } Be remembered that on
Camden district } the 5 day of August in the
year of our Lord 1796 ~~in County aforesaid~~ James
Hickey of the County aforesaid and Joshua Benson
and Benjamin Waring came before me Harris Turner
one of the Justices assined to keep the peace with in
the said County and acknowledged them selves to owe the
State of south Carolina (to wit) the said James Hickey
Three Hundred dollars and Joshua Benson and
Benjamin Waring one hundred and fifty dollars
each to be respectively ~~levied~~ made and levied of their
several goods and Chattels lands and tenements to the use
of the state; if the said James Hickey shall fail in
performing the Condition under written

The Condition of this recognizance is such that if the
above bounden James Hickey shall personally appear at
the next general sessions of the peace to be hold in at Camden
on the 19th day of November next to do and receive what shall
be then and there enjoined him by the Cort and the mean time
shall keep the peace and be of good behaviour towards all
the good people of this state and especially towards
Richard Boland of the County aforesaid then the said recognizance
shall be void or else remain in full force

acknowledged before me } James Hickey
~~[illegible]~~ Harris Turner } Joshua Benson
J.P. B. Waring

William Cunningham

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S. Carolina K. County } By Harris Turner one of the
Camden District } Justices of the peace for the
County aforsaid } To any lawfull Constable for
the County aforsaid

Forasmuch as Richard Boland of said County —
Personally ~~appeared~~ come before me and made oath
that he the said Richard Boland is afraid James
Hickey of the County aforsaid will beat or do him
some bodily hurt, and hath therefore prayed —
~~security~~ surety of the peace against him the said —
James Hickey (or if the good behaviour that James Hickey
of the County aforsaid, hath threatened to do some bodily
Hurt to him the sd Richard Boland and hath therefor
Prayed Surety of the good behavour against him the sd
Jas Hickey — These are therefore to Command you that —
Immediately on the receipt hereof, you bring the sd Jas Hickey
before me to find surety, as well, for his personal ap-
pearance at the next general sessions of the peace to be h:
at Camden on the 19th day of November next, as also —
for his keeping the peace (or for his bein of good behaviour
towards all the good people of the state and chiefly towards
Richard Boland given under my hand this 4th day of
August 1796 —

Harris Turner {Seal}

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CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. Holmes, Charles

April Sessions 1792

The State vs. Charles Holmes } Recognizance to appear

Fra. Sci. fa.
Issued 8th May 92

Recognizance

South Carolina } Be it remembered that on the thir-
Claremont County } teenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety two; Charles Holmes, of said County Constable, & Moses Gordon, & Jesse Robinson, of County & State aforesaid came & personally acknowledged them-selves to owe to the State of South Carolina (viz) the said Charles Holmes, the sum of Forty pounds Sterling, the said Moses Gordon, & Jesse Robinson, the sum of twenty pounds each like Money, to be levied off their goods & chattels, Lands & tene- to the use of said State if they make default in the condition underwritten ——— The condition of the above recognizance is such that if the above bounden Charles Holmes, shall personally appear at the next Court of General Sessions of the peace to be holden at Camden on the nineteenth day of Apl. next, & shall do & receive, what shall be enjoined him by the said Court & in the mean time shall keep the peace towards all the citizens of said State and especially towards Jacob Hinst then this recognizance to be void; otherwise of full force and virtue in Law - - - - - - - - - -

Taken and acknowledged before
me this 13th January - 1792 -
D. Reese J.P. - - - - - - -

Charles Holmes (Seal)
Moses Gordon (Seal)
Jesse Robinson (Seal)

Cam: District Nov. 97

The State
v.
Jos. McAdams

Recognizce
to keep
the peace

State of South Carolina }
Kershaw County - - }

Be it remembered that on the twenty day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety seven personally appeared before me Richard Lloyd Champion one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace for the County of Kershaw Joseph McAdams Elliott Sims And William Sowden who acknowledged themselves indebted to the state of South Carolina that is to say the said Joseph McAdams in the sum of Four hundred Dollars and the said Elliott Sims and William Sowden in the sum of Two hundred Dollars each like money to be levied of their several Lands and Tenements Goods and Chattels respectively to and for the use of the said State if the above mentioned Joseph McAdams shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound Joseph McAdams do keep the peace of the said State and be of good Behaviour toward all the Citizens thereof for the space of two whole Years from the above date then this Recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force and Virtue - Joseph McAdams L.S.

Taken and acknowledged the day and year above written before me

Elliot Sims L.S.

Wm Sowden L.S.

R. L. Champion

The Securities having been previous to the signing of the above sworn that they were worth the sum in which they are bound after paying their just Debts
R. L. C -

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The STATE vs. McAdams, Josep

Nov. 92

John Gowen & } peace
Wm. Gowen } Bond

returnable to the Circuit
Court of Camden District
to Novem. Sessions 1792—

State South Carolina }
Camden District } ss.
Clar. County }

Be it Remembered that on the Thirtieth day of June in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Two Personally appeared before Me John Moore Esqr. one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace for this District, James Bates, John Bates Junr. Wm. Hampton & Henry Jones all of the County afsd. Who acknowledged themselves to be indebted unto the State of South Carolina, that is to Say the said James Bates and John Bates Jnr. in the Sum of one Hundred pounds Sterling Money Each and the Said Wm. Hampton & Henry Jones in the Sum of One Hundred pounds Each, like Money to be levied of their Several Lands and Tenements Goods and Chattles Respectively, to and for the use of the S. State, if the above Mentioned, James Bates & John Bates Shall fail in performing the Conditions, under Written.

The Condition of this Recognizance is Such that if the above Bounden James Bates & John Bates Jnr. Shall be of the Good Behaviour & keep the peace Toward all the Good people of this State and Especially Toward John Gowen & Wm. Gowen Jnr. until the Next Court of General Sessions to be holden at Camden on the Nineteenth of Novbr. Next. then this Recognizance to be void or Else to Remr. in full force and Virtue

Taken and acknowleged the day and year above Written
Before Me
John Moore J.P.

James Bates
John Bates Junr.
Henry Jones
William Hampton

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions
The STATE vs. McGowen, John

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. McKay, Edward

Recognizance
Edward McKay
Peace

November Sessions 1790

The State vs. Edwd. McKay } Recognce. to ansr. for assault Danl. Lender

Discharged by Proclamation
neither Prosecutor nor Deft. appear

South Carolina } Be it remembered, that on the twenty
Claremont County } sixth day of May in the year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety, Edward
McKay, of said County planter, William Thompson, and
Straughn Conyers, of the County aforesaid planters, came
before me David Reese, a Justice of peace for said Coun-
ty, and acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of
South Carolina, the said Edward McKay, the sum of fifty
Pounds lawful Money of said State, the said William
Thompson, and Straughn Conyers, the sum of twenty five
pounds each like Money, to be made and levied of their seve-
ral goods and chattels, Lands and tenements, to the use of
said State, if the said Edward McKay, fail in performing
the condition underwritten — The condition of the above
Recognizance is such, that if the above bounden Edward McKay
shall personally appear at the next general sessions of the
peace &c, to be holden at Camden, on the twenty sixth Day
of November next, to do and receive what shall then & there
be enjoined him by the Court, and in the meantime keep the
peace towards all the good people of this State, and especially
towards Daniel Linder, of said County Constable, then this
Recognizance to be void, otherwise of full force in Law —

Taken and acknowledged this
twenty sixth Day of May — 1790 }
before me — —

D Reese J.P.

The State vs. Moore, Leona[rd]
Isham B[radfo]rd ; Willia[m Cain]

[illegible] May 1794
Recognizance
of
Isham Bradford
Wm Cain &
Leonard Moore

S. Carolina Claremount County —

Be it Remembered. that on the 27 day of May in the year of Our Lord 1797 that Leonard Moore Isham Bradford William Cain of Claremount County Came before me Jesse Nettles one of the Justices of the peace With in the said County & acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of South Carolina (towit) the said Leonard Moore Isham Bradford William Cain the Sum of fifty pounds each Lawful Money of the said state, the said William. H. Moore the Sum of one hundred and fifty Pounds like money to be Respectively Made and levied of his several goods and Chattles, lands and tenements, to the use of the said State, if the Said Leonard Moore Isham Bradford William Cain shall
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fail performing the condition underwritten. The Condition of this recognizance is such, that if the above bounden Leonard Moore Isham Bradford William Cain shall personally appear at the next general Sessions of the peace, &c to be holden at Camden on the Ninteenth day of November Next, to do and receive what shall then and there be enjoined them by the court and in the mean time shall keep the peace, and be of good behaviour towards all the good people of this State, and especially towards John Capbell of the Said County. in the said parish yeoman; then the said recognizance shall be void, or else remain in full force

Acknowledged before me

Jesse Nettles J.P. C.

Leon.d Moore
Isham Bradford
William Cain
William Moore

South Carolina
Camden District } ss.

Be it remembered that on the Twenty Ninth day of April in the Year of Our Lord One thousand and Seven Hundred & Eighty Six Personally appeared before me Aedanus Burke Esq; One of the Justices of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery James Mumford - Feilding Woodroof and George Brown ___ who acknowledged themselves to be severally and respectively Indebted to the State of So. Carolina afore said that is to say James Mumford in the Sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling Money and Feilding Woodroof and George Brown each ___ " ___ in the Sum of Twenty five Pounds like Money, to be levied off their several Lands & Tenements Goods & Chattels respectively to and for the use of the said State if the above James Mumford shall fail in performing the Condition Underwritten -

The Condition of this recognizance is such that if the above bound James Mumford shall and do pay or cause to be paid the sum of Three Pounds five Shillings Sterling Money into the hands of
for the use of the said State, and shall and do keep the peace of the said State for the Space of Six Months, and be of good behaviour from the date hereof to all the Citizens thereof during the said Term then this Recognizances to be Void or else to remain in full force -

James Mumford

Taken & Acknoledged the day and Year above Written } By me

F. Woodroof

J. Brevard
C. Clerk Court

Geo: Brown -

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South Carolina
Camden District } ss.

Be it remembered that on the Twenty Ninth day of April in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty Six – Personally appeared before me Aedanus Burke Esq; One of the Justices of the Court of General Sessions Henry Mumford Thomas Charlton and James Mumford who acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of South Carolina, that is to say, Henry Mumford in the Sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling money and Thomas Charlton and James Mumford in the Sum of Twenty Five Pounds Sterling Money each to be levied of their several Lands & tenements goods & chattels respectively to and for the use of the said State if the above Henry Mumford shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten

The Condition of this recognizance is such that if the above bound Henry Mumford shall & do pay the fees due on the binding him at the present Court keep the peace of the said State and be of good & peaceable behaviour towards all the Citizens thereof ~~for and~~ during the Space of One Year from the date hereof – then this Recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force –

Taken & acknowledged the day & Year above Written – Before me
A. Burke

Witness
Joseph Buckley

Henry Mumford
Thos Charlton
Jas. Mumford

J. Clerk Court

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CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The STATE vs. Mumford

STATE SOUTH-CAROLINA, } ss.
CHARLESTON-DISTRICT. }

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the Second Day of May — in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty- Eight personally appeared before me Richard Champion Esq; one of the Justices assigned to keep the Peace for this District, Thomas Moor and Susannah Moor

who acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the State of South-Carolina, that is to say, the said Thomas Moor

in the Sum of One hundred Pounds

sterling Money; and the said Susannah Moor

in the Sum of Fifty Pounds

like Money, to be levied of their several Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels respectively, to and for the Use of the said State, if the above-mentioned Thomas Moor shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten.

THE CONDITION of this Recognizance is such, That if the above-bound Thomas Moor

~~shall personally appear before the Justices of the said State, at the next Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Gaol Delivery, to be holden at the usual Place of Judicature in on the Tuesday in next, then and there to~~

Shall and do keep the Peace of the said State and be of good Behaviour from the Date hereof to all the Citizens for the Space of One Year from the Date hereof

~~and to do and receive what shall be enjoined by the Court, and not to depart the Court without Licence; and in the mean Time the said do keep the Peace of the said State, and be of good Behaviour towards all the Citizens thereof, and especially towards~~ then this Recognizance to be void, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Taken and acknowledged the Day and Year above written, before me

Rich Champion

The Mark + of
Thos Moor

The Mark + of
Susannah Moor

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June Court 1798

State v. Tho. Moore } Recognizance to keep the Peace for one Year

1798

Apr. Sess. con. 1786
Rich: Randals
Recognizance

South Carolina }
Camden District } ss.

Be it remembered that on the 29th day of April in the Year of Our Lord 1786 Personally appeared before me Aedanus Burke Esquire One of the Justices of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery Richard Randal who acknowledged himself to be Indebted to the State of South Carolina in the Sum of Seventy five pounds Sterling Money to be levied of his Lands & Tenements Goods & Chattels to and for the use of the said State if he the said Richd. Randal shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten —

The Condition of the above ~~Obligation~~ Recognizance is such that if the above bound Richard Randal shall & do pay or cause to be paid the Sum of five pounds Sterling money into the hands of the Sheriff of the District aforesd for the use of the said State, and shall & do keep the peace of the said State for the space of six Months from the date hereof & be of good behaviour from the date hereof to all the Citizens thereof during the said Term — then this recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force —

Taken & acknoledged the day & year above written }
Before me
J Brevard
Clerk Court

R Randolph

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personally appeared William Boyd & being duly Sworn Declares that he hath been informed that Archalas Reynolds hath used many threaten=ing words against him which puts him in great fear of his Life & therefore prays Security for the said Reynolds's good behaviour not out of Spite or malice but meerly for his own preservation & the Causes aforsaid

Sworn & Subscribed this
th Nov.r 1787 before
Jn. Williams

Will.m Boyd

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Novr. Term 1807
Wm Boyd &c Aps
Mat heirs indenture
of Lease from G. Reynolds

South Carolina
Camden District
Be it remembered that on the 27th Day of
July in the year of our Lord 17 personally appeared before
me Isaac ~~Alexander~~ Dubose Esqr one of the ~~Justices~~ Judges for Kershaw
County John Swilley John Shevin Jacob Shevin & abram Shevin
who acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of
South Carolina that is to say the said Jacob & abram
Shevin in the Sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling Money
each and the said John Swilley & John Shevin like money
in the Sum of Twenty five Pounds each — —
to be made and levied of their several Lands and Ten-
ements Goods and Chattels respectively to and for the
use of the said State if the above bound Jacob & abram
Shevin shall fail in performing the Condition underwritten
The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the
above bound Jacob & abram Shevin shall personally
appear before the ~~Justices of~~ Judges of the County ~~said State~~ at the next County Court
~~of general Sessions of the Peace Oyer and Terminer Ass~~
~~ize and general Gaol delivery at the usual Place of~~
~~Judicature in~~ Camden ~~on the~~ to be held in Camden
on the 7th August next —

and do what shal be enjoined by the said Court and shall not
depart the said Court without Leave and do in the mean
time keep the Peace and be of good Behaviour towards
al his Fellow citizens then this Recognizance to be
void or else in full force

Taken and acknowledged
the day and year as above
before me
Is. Dubose J.K.C.

Jacob his X mark Shevin
abram his + mark Shevin
John Swilley
John his H mark Shevin

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Nov. 1799 – Breach of peace

The State v. Sam. Simpson } Defts. Recogniz.ce

Nolle prosequi

Saml. Simpson Jr.

South Carolina - Camden district -

Be it remembered that on the 30th Day of August 1799 - Personally came before me Isaac Alexander a Justice of Quorum for said State - Samuel Simpson - Burwell Brown and John Lenoir - and acknowledged themselves to owe the State of South Carolina - That is to say the said Samuel Simpson the Sum of Four hundred Dollars - and Burwell Brown and John Lenoir the Sum of Two hundred dollars each separately - good and lawfull Money of said State to be made and levied of their Goods and Chattells, Lands and Tenements respectively to and for the use of the said State if the above bound Samuel Simpson shall make default in the underwritten Condition -

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound Samuel Simpson shall personally be and appear before the Justices of said State at their next general Sessions of the Peace, oyer and terminer, Assize an general Gaol delivery to be holden at Camden for the District of Camden on the 19th of November next - then and there to do as shall be by said Court injoined - and also that he will in the mean time keep the Peace of the said State, and be of good Behaviour towards all the good citizens and particularly towards Daniel Carter of the County of Claremont - then this Recognizance shall be void, or else of full force and Virtue -

Taken and acknowledged this 30th of Aug. 1799
Before me

I. Alexander JQ.

Samuel + Simpson (Seal)
his Mark

Burwell Brown (Seal)

John Lenoir (Seal)

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State of South Carolina
Claremont County } ss By Absalom Williams One of the Justices of the Peace for said County. — To any Lawfull constable of the said County. — Or to James Revel

For as much as Daniel Carter of said County, hath personally come before me and made Oath, that he the said Daniel Carter is afraid, James Simpson, and Samuel Simpson. of the said County. will privately Kill him. and hath therefore prayed Surety of the peace, against them the James Simpson, and Samuel Simpson; — These are therefore to command you, that amediately on the Receipt hereof, you bring the said James Simpson and Samuel Simpson, Before me, or some other Justice of the peace, in order that they may be dealth with as the Law directs. — Given under my hand and Seal this Second day of August in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Nine — and of american Independence the Twenty fifth. —

Ab. Williams J.P.

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To Nov. 1799. Breach of Peace

The State v. James Simpson } Defts Recog

Nolle prosequi

James Simpson
Recog. to keep peace
6 Nov. 1799 –

DISTRICT
General Sessions

Be it remembered that on the 10th day of September 1799 James Simpson, John Simpson & John McKinney came before me a Justice of Quorum for said State, and acknowledged themselves to owe the State of South Carolina that is to say the said James Simpson the sum of four hundred Dollars, and John Simpson and John McKinney the sum of two hundred Dollars each - to be made and levied of their goods and Chattells, lands & tenements respectively to and for the use of said State if the above bound James Simpson shall fail in performing the underwritten Condition -

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above bound - James Simpson do personally appear before the Justices of the said State at the next Court of general Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer Assize and general Gaol Delivery to be holden at Camden for the District of Camden on the nineteenth day of November next - and shall do what shall be enjoined by said Court - and shall in the mean time keep the Peace and be of good behaviour towards all the good Citizens of said State, but especially towards Daniel Carter of the County of Claremont - then this Recognizance to be void - or else in full force and virtue

Taken and acknowledged the day and date as above Before me

I. Alexander J.Q.

James Simpson (Seal)

John his 2 mark Simpson (Seal)

John his X mark McKinney (Seal)

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The State vs. Simpson, James

Nov. 97

The State
v.
Olive Hogan

Recogz.ce to Keep the peace

State of South Carolina } be it Remembered that on
Lancaster County } the twenty Sixth day of May
in the year of our Lord one thousand
Seven hundred and Ninety Seven Oleph
Stogner of the County aforesaid and John
Caston and Samuel Caston of the same
County Came before me William Ward
one of the Justices assignd to keep the peace
and acknowledg themselves to owe to the State
of South Carolina the Sd Oleph Stogner
the Sum of fifty Pounds lawfull money of
the Sd State and John Caston and Samuel Caston
Each the Sum of twenty five pounds to be
Respectively made and levied of their Several
Goods and Chattels Lands and tenements to the
use of Sd State if the Sd Oleph Stogner Shall
fail in preforming the Conditions under written

The Conditions of this Recognizance is
Such that if the above boundden Oliph Stogner
doth keep the peace well and truly to all the
Good Citizons of the State aforesaid and pertiently
to Phebe Williams for one year and A day then
this Obligation to be Void and of None Eff:
otherwise to be of full force and Virtue Given
under our hands and Seals the above day and year above written

Olive his Mark Stogner (Seal)
John Caston (Seal)
Saml. Caston (Seal)

William Ward J.P.
R. L. Champion J.P.

and she is in ~~bodily~~ actual fear that the said
John Carlow & John Stogner, Olive Stogner
& Mary Bray will either take her life
or do her some great bodily injury and
that she does not pray the peace against
them through any malice —

Sworn 26. April 1796.
in open Court before
me R. L. Champion
C.C.P.

Phebe Williams maketh oath that
she lived on her own plantation in Lancaster
County, and that John Caston repeatedly threatned
to burn or have her House burned unless she cleared
out and left the Country. And also that he
often threatned to have her abused & beaten in
case she did not remove, that some time
in January last Olive Stogner & Mary Bray
came into her House, and beat her in a most
inhuman Manner and cut her hair off, and
in Consequence of their threats & ~~combination~~ abuse she
quit her House & took shelter with John Love
leaving part of her furniture at home. That her
House was lately burned with her furniture in
it as she verily believes by some one of them, or
by their procurement, and that she was
lately shot at in the night and wounded by John Stockner
while sitting in the House of John Love, and
that John Stockner and John Caston have
threatned her with great bodily injury and
abuse and ordered her out of the Country
And that John Caston has threatned her life

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OLIVE

The State
v
Mary Bray

} Recognizance to Keep the peace

State of South Carolina } be it Remembered that
Lancaster County } on the twenty fifth day of

May in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety Seven ~~Oliph Stogner~~ Mary Bray of the County aforesaid and John Caston and Saml. Caston of the Sd. County Came before me Willm. Ward one of the Justices assigned to keep peace and acknowledged themselves to owe to the State of South Carolina the Sd. ~~Oliph~~ Mary ~~Stogner~~ Bray the Sum of fifty pounds Lawful money of Said State and John Caston and Saml. Caston Each the Sum of twenty five pounds of the Like money to be Respectively made and Levied of their Several Goods and Chattles Lands and tenements to the use of Said State if the Sd. Oliph Stogner Shall in performing the Condition under written.

The Condition of this Recognizance is Such that if the above bounden ~~Oliph Stogner~~ Mary Bray doth keep the peace well and truly to all the Good Citizens of the State aforesd. and perticular to phebe Williams for one year and a day then the above obligation to Void and of None effect other wise to be of full force and Virtue Given under of hands and Seals the day and date above written

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Mary her mark Bray (Seal)
John Caston (Seal)
Saml. Caston (Seal)

William Ward J.P.
R. L. Champion J.P.

South Carolina – Camden District

Be it remembered that on the third day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety seven before me Richard Lloyd Champion personally appeared Swanson Lunsford Alexr ~~[illegible]~~ Burridge Purvis and Philip Turpin who acknowledged themselves indebted to the State of South Carolina that is to say the said Philip Turpin in the Sum of One hundred pounds and the said Swanson Lunsford Alexander Purvis and Burridge Purvis each in the Sum of Twenty five pounds to be levied of their Goods and Chattels Lands and Tenements respectively in case the said Philip Turpin shall fail in performing the condition under written.

The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the said Philip Turpin shall personally appear before the Judges of the said State at the Court of General Sessions of the peace oyer and Terminer Assize and General Gaol delivery to be holden at Camden on the nineteenth day of November next, and then and there do and perform what shall be enjoined him by the Court, and not to depart therefrom without leave first had and obtained and in the mean To keep the peace toward all the good Citizens of this State and especially toward Martyn Aiken Esqr. then the above recognizance to be void and of none Effect or else to remain in full force and Virtue

Signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of
R. L. Champion – C.C.P.

Philip P Turpin L.S.
S. Lunsford L.S.
B. Purvis L.S.
L.S.

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General Sessions

CAMDEN DISTRICT
Court of General Sessions

The State vs. Stark, Alexander Bolin

Recognizance April
Alex B Starks 1797

State of South Carolina
Camden District
Richland County } ss.

Be it remembered, that on the Seventh day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and ninety-Seven Alexand Boling Stark of Columbia in the County and State aforesaid and Joshua Benson and James Douglas — — of the said County, came before me Martyn Aiken — Esquire one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace within the County aforesaid and acknowledge themselves to owe to the State aforesaid, to wit, the said Alexander Boling Stark the Sum of One thousand pounds Lawful money of the said State, the said Joshua Benson and James Douglas — — — — — — — — — the sum of Five-hundred pounds like money each, to be respectively made and levied of their several goods and chattels, lands and tenements, to the use of the said State, if the said Alexander Boling Stark shall fail in performing the condition underwritten.

The Condition of this recognizance is such, that if the above bounded Alexander Boling Stark shall personally appear at the next general sessions of the peace &c to be holden at Camden on the Nineteenth ~~day of~~ Instant for the District of Camden to do and receive what shall then and there be enjoined him by the Court and in the mean time shall keep the peace, and be of good behaviour towards all the good people of this State, and especially towards James Shaw of West Granby in the District of Orangeburgh and State-aforesaid, then the said recognizance shall be void, or else remain in full force.

Alexr. B Stark

Acknowledged before me
Martyn Aiken J.P.

Joshua Benson

James Douglas

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D. D. C. M.

The State v. Wm. Leyton	Assault	Prince	£10 —
		Att'y Gen'l fees	14. 9. 9. 9
		Clks fees £1. 6. —	
		Apl. 98. Spinces .. 8. —	6. 6. 4. 2
			3. 2. 1. 4

on Bill found 1. Count

State v. Rutledge Spinces: Prince £10. — Sol. 3. 10 Clerk 2. 1 — 15. 11. —

1st Count B. found	15. —
2 Wts. Venire	3. —
2d. Count Trial before P. J.	1. 0. 0
4 Wts. Spince	8.
2 Wts. Venire	3.
	2. 9. —
Att'y	3. 10
Prince	2. 6. 8
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The State v Kennedy — the Same

The State v. Col. Cantey — Prince £10. Soc. £3. 10.
Clerk the same as above. £2. 9.
and 5 more Spinces . . 0. 10
Amt. £11. 2. 4 — 2. 19.

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DISTRICT
General Sessions

Taxation of Cost

April Sessions 1798

The State v. Wm. Lupton Wm. Kennedy Col. Cantey Ed. Rutledge	Statement of fine & fees –

1788, 1790, 1792

White, John Miller, James Kerr, Henry Burns and Robert Burns, John Hutton and William Steele Junr. to be dealt with and disposed of according to Law —

Given under my hand and Seal this 3d day of March 1790 and in the 14th Year of our Independence and Sovereignty —

to read; immediately four or five persons among whom was James Kerr, Henry Burns and Robert Burns broke hastily into the Room and snatched the War=rant forcibly away except the Seals which he held in his hand and the deponent further saith that he heard the said Samuel McCall and Lewis Thomson publickly swear and say that they would take away the life of the said Revely they afterward insisted on delivering up the Prisoner McCall to the said Revely and for that purpose a number of them among whom were Saml. McCall, Lewis Thomson, John White, John Miller, James Kerr, Henry Burns and Robert Burns John Hutton and William Hill Junr. went in search of the said Revely and that soon afterwards this Deponent heard several Guns or pistols discharged which he afterward understood were fired at the house where Revely lodged — which was the reason why he did not bring the Prisoner McCall before some Judge —

These are therefore to command you the said peace Officers to apprehend and bring before me or some one of the Judges of the State aforesaid the said Samuel McCall, Lewis Thomson, John

By the Honorable Thomas Waties Esquire
one of the Judges of the said State

To the Sheriff of Camden District and all and Singular the Sheriff Baliffs and other Peace Officers of the State aforesaid —

Whereas it appears from the information of John Burgan made on Oath the thirteenth day of February last that on Friday the Fifteenth day of January last he the deponent was present at Aera Iron Works with Francis Revely Samuel McCall and others, and saw the said Francis Revely arrest the said Samuel McCall and in the name of the State commands him the said Deponent and Charles Mabury to assist in securing him in Custody and that some time afterwards he the said Revely did deliver to the said Charles Maybury and this deponent a Bench Warrant under the hand and Seal of Judge Grimke for arresting the said McCall and for safely conveying him before some Judge of the said State. By Virtue whereof this deponent and the said Maybury took the said McCall into his Charge that some time afterwards in the Night of the same day a number of Persons were collected at the house of Residence of Col.o Hill, among whom this deponent and the said McCall were, that the said Company were and had being drinking and some of them were intoxicated that they appear to have met together many of them for the Purpose of Consulting on the aforementioned arrest, which appeared to them in an Obnoxious view, as it should seem from their conversation and that they in General were or seemed to be disposed to rescue or prevent the Prisoners being in Custody or carried before the Persons mentioned in the Warrant that they were Riotous, and that One Lewis Thompson intreated this deponent to Shew him his Authority which this deponent unwilling to do from an apprehension of its not being demanded upon any proper motive However being pressed to discover by what authority he presumed to have the said McCall in Custody he this deponent at Length told the said Lewis Thompson and John White that if they would go with him peaceably into another room that he would shew them the Warrant when they were in the Room he held it for them

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[Nov. 29, 1788]

State of South Carolina }
Camden District } November 29th 1788

We the Grand Jury do Present that this ~~that this~~ Court not being a Court of Record is a very great and heavy Grievance to the citizens of this and other Districts distant from Charleston on account of appearances in the court of Common Pleas being in the present State to be Entered there. the distance, Hazard, and uncertainty of Conveyances. and other difficulties making the citizens liable to Judgements by default to the injury of many that might have good and legal defences to make ——

Ordered that it be referred to the Legislature

2d We present as a Grievance the County Courts in their present state, and are of Opinion they might be of benefit if they were confined to the Trial of small offences, Petitions and Summary Processes, for Actions of Debt not exceeding Twenty pounds, and other actions not exceeding Ten pounds, The care of Roads. Orphans and other County business

Ordered that it be referred to the Legislature.

3d We present as a grievance either the want of a proper and sufficient Jury list, or that

Wood Furman [illegible] McGinney	Jno. Dickey John Welsh Alexand. Colclough	William Barr

1788, 1790

We present as a peculiar Grievance the want of a District Court House

order'd that it be referred to the Commissioners appointed for building a Court House.

Lastly we request that these our presentments may be published in the Gazettes

order'd that the presentments be printed in the State Gazette.

Isaac Du Bose Foreman

John Adamson

Henry Angeley

David Bush

Zach Cantey

Abraham G. Schutt

Robt. Carter

Thos. Lenoir

Sylvester Dunn

Davd. Neilson

James Marshel

John Reed

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persons drawn to serve as Jurors are not compelled to give their attendance. by which means the Juries are generally made up from the citizens of Camden to their very great inconvenience

Ordered that the Sheriff the officer his endorse on oath whether the new Jury list ordered to be made out has not been complied with.

[Dec 6, 1790]

...the Grand Jurors, for the District of Camden
... and sincere thanks, to his ...

of Camden

1st Present that having Examined the Goal find it Clean an Comfortable, But much out of repair & very in adequate in point of Strenght so that in its Present state it is impossible to secure Culprits, to the great injury of the Community, we request that his Honour the Judge Lay the same before the Legislature ——

2d that no Lodging is provided for Criminals which Common Humanity demands they being precluded from fire ——

3d that no Provisions is made for the Support of Jurors, while a large number are obliged to attend on that Service who are unable to defray their Expence of Living ——

4th We Present as a Grievance that the Property taken in Execution by the Sheriff of this District, in several Counties should be carried to the Extremity of others to be sold instead of being sold at the Court House of the respective Counties where the Levy is made as heretofore Which is productive of Great inconvenience & Expence

Green Rives Foreman

Peter Foust	Henry Haynsworth	Wilcinn
Daniel Ford	Malcller Murphey	William Nettles
Wood Tucker	Ro. Dixby	Nathan Barr
W. McGirney	John Welsh	
	Howard Colclough	

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[Dec 6, 1790]

We the Grand Jurors, for the District of Camden return our hearty and sincere thanks, to his Honor the Judge for his very excellent Charge delivered to us, and we request that he would be pleased to permit the same to be published and that he would lay a Copy thereof before each [illegible] of the Legislature as containing our [illegible]nts on the subjects of the several reforms his Honor, has suggested in his Charge

[We] present the want of the Laws of the State and recommend that as these may now be had, that the Legislature cause a sufficient [num]ber of Copies to be purchased and distributed [am]ongst the Justices of peace agreeable to the [Act] of Assembly, making that provision

We present the smallness of the sum Granted by the Legislature for the Rebuilding of the Courthouse for this District, and recommend that a further sum be allowed for the same

We present also the propriety of a further reform in the Court of Sessions, and recommend that

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We present the Keeper of Camden Ferry, from Information of Mr Hugh Milling and Mr Richard Evans, of the Bad attendanance at same ferry —

We present Benjamin McKinzie Sadler for Harbouring Abel Walker and other Bad suspicious Characters —

We lastly present the Total neglect of Patrol duty in this neighbourhood

Camden first day December 1790

John Kershaw fo

Ja Brown

David Bush

William Lang

Henry Foster

Isaac Ross

Michael Gerster

November Sessions 1790

Court House

[illegible] Defacement of [illegible], [illegible] Jurors
made be assessed for said District to answer the
Amount of said Court

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Camden first day December 1790

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Jas. L. Mumford

Jas. Brown Senr

Jas. Carter

Samuel Rowan

John McHarmellon

Zach Cantey

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Court House

Camden District Court of General Sessions

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